

**William Blount to Andrew Jackson, September 10, 1792,
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JACKSON'S COMMISSION AS JUDGE ADVOCATE.

[September 10, 1792.]

William Blount Governor in and over the Territory of the United States of America south of the river Ohio,

To all who shall see these presents Greeting.

Know Ye that I do appoint Andrew Jackson Esquire of the County of Davidson, Judge Advocate in and for the said County. And do authorize and empower him to execute and fulfil the duties of that office according to law: And to have and to hold the said office of Judge Advocate during good behaviour or the existence of the temporary government of the said territory with all the powers privileges and emoluments thereto of right appertaining.

Given under my hand and seal in the said Territory this tenth day of September one thousand seven hundred and ninety two.

By the Governor

Danl Smith Wm. Blount